



**Agenda Item Number: 2005-8-6C**

## **BERNALILLO COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

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**Meeting Date:** August 23, 2005

**Department:** Commission **Staff Contact:** Commissioner Teresa Cordova

**TITLE:** Albuquerque/Bernalillo County Government Commission (ABCGC)  
Intergovernmental Agreement

**ACTION:** Motion to adopt the Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) between Bernalillo County and the City of Albuquerque.

### **SUMMARY:**

An IGA establishing a Joint "Commission" between the Bernalillo County (BC) and the City of Albuquerque (COA) to review, discuss and make recommendations to each respective governments has been in place since 1975. As contained in the preamble, a major objective of the Joint Commission is to "promote coordination and cooperation between the two governments." This is especially important as there are approximately 20 JPA's currently in place between BC and the COA not including numerous mutual and automatic aid agreements, MOU's and other IGA's.

The IGA for the ABCGC terminated on June 30, 2005 therefore, staff requests Board approval of the revised IGA.

### **ATTACHMENT:**

1. ABCGC IGA

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

None.

### **STAFF ANALYSIS SUMMARY**

#### **COUNTY MANAGER**

The Board has been working with the City Council in updating the IGA and Rules of Procedure. This item is on the City Council's August 22, 2005 meeting agenda. I recommend Board approval. TL 8/22/05

#### **DEPUTY COUNTY MANAGER FOR PUBLIC SAFETY**

Government operations have become more complex and the need for policy makers (elected officials) to meet and confer on a regular basis on matters relating to the public interest and safety is critical. Just as important is the direction they provide to staff on these important issues. This forum also allows staff and citizens to provide information and feedback to these Joint Commissions which saves time and money. I recommend approval of this item. JD 8/4/05

## **LEGAL**

This action is authorized by New Mexico law. Approved as to form. JSL 8/19/05